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(420) ADVANCE FOR 6:30 PM EST TODAY
RUSSIAN BASES
BY JOSEPH R. COYNE

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, MARCH 13 (AP)--RUSSIA NOW HAS 100 MAJOR MISSILE BASES ALONG ITS WESTERN FRONTIERS CAPABLE OF LAUNCHING DEATH AND DESTRUCTION FROM SCANDANAVIA TO THE MIDDLE EAST, SEN. KENNETH B. KEATING (R-NY) SAID TODAY.

KEATING SAID THESE BASES AND THE PRINCIPAL SOVIET MISSILE PRODUCTION CENTERS HAVE BEEN WOVEN INTO A SEPARATE BRANCH OF THE SOVIET ARMED FORCES--THE MISSILE ARM.

THIS BRANCH OF ABOUT 200,000 MEN IS UNDER THE COMMAND OF AN ENGINEER GENERAL WHO IS ALSO IN CHARGE OF ALL MISSILE TESTING SITES AND FACTORIES PRODUCING NUCLEAR BOMBS, ROCKETS AND GUIDED MISSILES, KEATING ADDED.

KEATING MENTIONED THE SOVIET MISSILE SETUP BRIEFLY DURING A PROGRAM TAPED FOR NEW YORK TELEVISION STATIONS. HE ELABORATED ON IT IN A SEPARATE STATEMENT.

HE SAID THE MAIN SOVIET MISSILE BASES ARE LOCATED:

ALONG THE BALTIC SEACOAST MAINLY IN ^{northwest} PRUSSIA.

IN THE LAKE LADOGA AREA BETWEEN THE BALTIC AND WHITE SEAS.

IN THE THURINGIAN FOREST OF EAST GERMANY.

IN THE SOUTHERN UKRAINE AND THE CARPATHIAN MOUNTAINS NORTHWEST OF THE BLACK SEA AND NORTHEAST OF BUCHAREST AND BUDAPEST AND POINTING TOWARD TURKEY, THE NEAR AND MIDDLE EAST.

KEATING LOCATED THE PRINCIPAL SOVIET MISSILE PRODUCTIONS CENTERS IN THE UPPER URAL MOUNTAINS NEAR VORKUTA AND IN THE TIKSI AREA AT THE LENA RIVER DELTA.

SOME REDUCTIONS IN SOVIET ARMED FORCES HAVE TAKEN PLACE, KEATING SAID, BUT ONLY IN REAR UNITS AND HEADQUARTERS ESTABLISHMENTS.

"BUT THE NUMERICAL STRENGTH OF THE EFFECTIVE DIVISIONS HAS BEEN STEPPED UP AND SO IN ACTUAL FACT THERE HAS BEEN LITTLE APPARENT REDUCTION," KEATING SAID.

HE ADDED THE SOVIET NAVY HAS INCREASED ITS TONNAGE BUT IS STILL BEHIND THE UNITED STATES.

"YET IT IS THE MISSILE ARM DEVELOPMENT OF THE SOVIET ARMED FORCES WHICH I VIEW AS TACTICALLY SIGNIFICANT," KEATING SAID.

KEATING DID NOT DISCLOSE THE SOURCE OF HIS INFORMATION EITHER IN HIS TELEVISION PROGRAM OR IN HIS STATEMENT.

ON ANOTHER PROGRAM, DR. HERBERT F. YORK, DIRECTOR OF DEFENSE RESEARCH AND ENGINEERING, SAID RUSSIA WILL PROBABLY HAVE MORE MISSILES ON ITS LAUNCHING PADS DURING THE NEXT FEW YEARS THAN THE UNITED STATES.

BUT HE ADDED DEFENSE OFFICIALS FEEL THAT AT NO TIME IN THE FUTURE COULD RUSSIA ATTACK THIS COUNTRY WITH IMPUNITY. "THEY MAY HAVE MORE MISSILES," YORK SAID, "BUT WE HAVE MORE OF EVERYTHING ELSE. AND EVEN THE MORE MISSILES IS NOT A PERMANENT SITUATION."

YORK SAID AMERICA'S DETERRENT STRENGTH INCLUDES ITS AIRPLANES, MISSILES, OVERSEAS BASES, AIRCRAFT CARRIERS AND ITS SUBMARINE FORCE WHICH IN ANOTHER SIX MONTHS OR A YEAR WILL INCLUDE THE POLAR MISSILE.

HE SAID EVEN NOW AMERICAN MISSILES ARE AS GOOD AS RUSSIAN MISSILES AND IN SOME CASES PROBABLY BETTER.

YORK WAS INTERVIEWED BY REP. HAROLD C. OSTERTAG (R-NY) ON A PROGRAM TAPED FOR WESTERN NEW YORK STATIONS.

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SOVIET PLANE BUDGET (180)

LONDON, MARCH 13 (AP)--HIGH-FLYING SOVIET AIRCRAFT ARE KEEPING A PHOTOGRAPHIC WATCH ON BRITAIN'S MISSILE SITES AND INSTALLATIONS, A LONDON NEWSPAPER CLAIMED TODAY.

THE SUNDAY DISPATCH SAID THE RUSSIAN PLANES, PATROLLING HIGH ABOVE THE NORTH SEA, ARE USING LONG-RANGE INFRA-RED CAMERAS WHICH CAN PHOTOGRAPH THE ENTIRE BRITISH MAINLAND AND PEER BEYOND TO THE ATLANTIC OCEAN.

THE PICTURES ARE SO CLEAR, SAID THE DISPATCH, "THAT TRAINED PHOTOGRAPH INTERPRETERS CAN EVEN PICK OUT AND COUNT SHIPS AT SEA OR MISSILE SITES ON THE EAST COAST."

THE NEWSPAPER GAVE NO SOURCE FOR ITS INFORMATION AND THE AIR MINISTRY DECLINED COMMENT.

THE DISPATCH SAID RUSSIAN PLANES HAD NO NEED TO APPROACH BRITISH TERRITORIAL WATERS BECAUSE OF THEIR LONG-RANGE CAMERAS.

"NOW THE RUSSIANS ARE EXPERIMENTING WITH CREWLESS ROBOT PLANES AND CONTROLLED MISSILES TO DO THE SAME JOB," THE NEWSPAPER CLAIMED. "BOTH PLANES AND MISSILES WILL GET A MUCH WIDER RANGE BECAUSE THEY CAN FLY HIGHER."

"THE MISSILES WILL PARACHUTE THEIR CAMERAS AND FILMS TO PRE-SELECTED SPOTS, WHERE THEY WILL BE PICKED UP BY WAITING SUBMARINES."

THE DISPATCH SAID BRITISH AIRCRAFT CARRYING OUT SIMILAR PHOTO RECONNAISSANCE WORK HAVE ACHIEVED "AMAZING RESULTS."

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(350) LANPHIER

WASHINGTON, MARCH 13 (AP)--THOMAS G. LANPHIER JR. SAID TONIGHT PRESIDENT EISENHOWER DOES NOT SEEK THE ADVICE OF KEY MILITARY MEN IN PLANNING AMERICA'S DEFENSE PROGRAM.

THE 44-YEAR-OLD WORLD WAR II FLYING ACE, WHO QUIT A \$60,000--- YEAR JOB WITH CONSOLIDATED WHITE AIRCRAFT CORP. SO HE COULD BE

FREE TO CRITICIZE THE ADMINISTRATION'S DEFENSE POLICIES ADDED:

"I SUSPECT THE JOINT CHIEFS (OF STAFF) AS INDIVIDUALS DON'T SEE VERY MUCH OF THE PRESIDENT...THE PEOPLE WHO ADVISE THE PRESIDENT ON MATTERS OF OUR MILITARY DEFENSE ARE NOT THOSE DIRECTLY CONCERNED WITH THE QUALITY OR THE OPERATION OF THE FORCE IN BEING."

IN THE LAST 15 YEARS, LANPHIER SAID, EISENHOWER "HAS BEEN QUITE APART FROM THE REVOLUTION THAT HAS BEEN TAKING PLACE IN MODERN ARMS AND DOESN'T SEEM TO RECOGNIZE THE KIND OF REVOLUTIONARY WAR BEING WAGED AGAINST US BY RUSSIA OVER AND APART FROM MILITARY WEAPONS."

APPEARING ON THE NBC TELEVISION PROGRAM "MEET THE PRESS," LANPHIER SAID EISENHOWER'S ADVISORS HAVE LED HIM TO UNDERESTIMATE THE ENEMY.

HE ADDED, "THE FLOOR OF HEAVEN IS CLUTTERED WITH EVIDENCE THAT THE RUSSIANS ARE AHEAD OF US, BOTH IN SPATIAL ACTIVITIES AND IN ICBM'S (INTERCONTINENTAL BALLISTIC MISSILES)."

THE FORMER CONVAIR VICE PRESIDENT, WHO HELPED DEVELOP AMERICA'S ATLAS ICBM, SHARPLY DENIED HE HAD QUIT TO HELP SEN. STUART SYMINGTON (D-MO) IN HIS BID FOR THE DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL NOMINATION. A REPUBLICAN, LANPHIER SERVED AS SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO SYMINGTON DURING 1949-50 WHILE THE SENATOR WAS AIR FORCE SECRETARY.

"OUR INTERESTS HAVE COINCIDED FOR OVER A DECADE IN TERMS OF THE NATIONAL DEFENSE ESTABLISHMENT," LANPHIER EXPLAINED. "BUT I'M MY OWN MAN."

"FOR THE NEXT THREE OR FOUR MONTHS -- AS LONG AS THE MONEY HOLDS OUT -- I'M GOING TO SPEAK MY OWN MIND."

HE CONCEDED THE MAJORITY OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE PROBABLY AGREED WITH PRESIDENT EISENHOWER ON DEFENSE QUESTIONS, BUT ADDED HE FELT A SECRET BALLOT AT THE PENTAGON WOULD SHOW A MAJORITY ON HIS SIDE.

LANPHIER REPEATED HIS ESTIMATE THAT A MINIMUM OF FOUR BILLION DOLLARS SHOULD BE ADDED FOR DEFENSE IN NEXT YEAR'S BUDGET AND THIS INCREASED TO SIX BILLION THE FOLLOWING YEAR.

"WE CAN WELL AFFORD TO PUT AN EXTRA TWO TO THREE DAYS OF NATIONAL INCOME INTO THE DEFENSE EFFORT," HE SAID.

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(150) TAYLOR

WASHINGTON, MARCH 13 (AP)-GEN. MAXWELL D. TAYLOR SAID TODAY IT WAS HIS SINCERE JUDGMENT THAT "THE MILITARY TREND IS AGAINST US."

"AND UNLESS WE CHANGE THAT TREND WE WILL SOON BE FACED WITH TRYING TO LIVE WITH COMMUNISM AS AN INFERIOR. I DON'T BELIEVE IT CAN BE DONE," THE FORMER CHIEF OF STAFF, NOW A CIVILIAN, SAID.

TAYLOR SPOKE IN A TELEVISION INTERVIEW (ABC'S OPEN HEARING) IN WHICH HE SAID HE THOUGHT EVERY CITIZEN TO A DEGREE SHARES THE DEFENSE RESPONSIBILITY.

REMINDED THAT THE PRESIDENT AND OTHERS HAD SAID THE AMERICAN MILITARY POSTURE WAS SECURE, TAYLOR SAID HE WAS NOT A PESSIMIST.

HE SAID HE HAD NEVER SUGGESTED THAT AT THIS MOMENT THE UNITED STATES DOES NOT HAVE VERY FORMIDABLE FORCES CAPABLE OF OFFSETTING THE SOVIET THREAT.

HE ADDED: "MY CONCERN IS NOT SO MUCH TODAY BUT WHERE WE WILL BE IN TWO OR THREE YEARS HENCE." AND, HE SAID, ACTIONS TODAY WILL CONTROL THE MILITARY POSTURE OF TWO OR THREE YEARS FROM NOW.

HE SAID THE PERIOD STARTING ABOUT 1961 OR 1962 "IS LIKELY TO BE A PERIOD IN WHICH WE ARE VERY MUCH EXPOSED."

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DISARMAMENT (380)

BY TOM OCHILTREE

GENEVA, MARCH 13-(AP)-BRITAIN'S MINISTER OF STATE SAID TONIGHT HE BELIEVES THE 10-NATION DISARMAMENT TALKS OPENING HERE TUESDAY "HAVE A VERY REAL PROSPECT OF REACHING AGREEMENT."

ARRIVING TO LEAD HIS COUNTRY'S DELEGATION, DAVID ORMSBY-GORE TOLD NEWSMEN AT GENEVA AIRPORT THE THREE-STAGE WESTERN DISARMAMENT PLAN WILL BE INTRODUCED IN THE OPENING DAYS OF THE CONFERENCE. HE SAID HE EXPECTS THE RIVAL SOVIET PLAN ALSO TO BE BROUGHT IN PROMPTLY.

THE WESTERN PLAN AGREED UPON IN CONSULTATIONS IN WASHINGTON AND PARIS REPRESENTS AN ELABORATION OF PROPOSALS FIRST VOICED BY BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY SELWYN LLOYD AT THE U.N. GENERAL ASSEMBLY LAST FALL.

THE DISARMAMENT TALKS, ORGANIZED THIS TIME WITH EQUAL REPRESENTATION FOR EAST AND WEST, WILL TACKLE THE TOUGHEST DIPLOMATIC PROBLEM OF ALL.

BASICALLY, AN ATTEMPT WILL BE MADE TO REDUCE THE ARMS BURDEN WEIGHING HEAVILY ON THE TAXPAYERS OF ALL THE MAJOR POWERS WITHOUT DISTURBING THE BALANCE OF STRENGTH BETWEEN THE COMMUNIST AND NON-COMMUNIST WORLDS.

THE ULTIMATE AIM IN BOTH THE WESTERN PLAN AND THE SOVIET PROPOSAL, ORIGINALLY ENUNCIATED BY SOVIET PREMIER KHRUSHCHEV, IS COMPLETE DISARMAMENT.

REPRESENTATIVES OF THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN, FRANCE, ITALY AND CANADA WILL NEGOTIATE WITH TEAMS FROM THE SOVIET UNION, POLAND, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, ROMANIA AND BULGARIA.

COMMUNIST CHINA IS NOT REPRESENTED AT THE TALKS. RADIO PEIPING SAID IN A BROADCAST TONIGHT THAT RED CHINA WOULD NOT CONSIDER ITSELF BOUND BY ANY AGREEMENT REACHED IN ITS ABSENCE.

THE WESTERN PLAN, WHICH HAS NOT YET OFFICIALLY BEEN MADE PUBLIC, IS BELIEVED TO TAKE INTO ACCOUNT THE FACT THAT ULTIMATELY ALL POWERS, INCLUDING COMMUNIST CHINA, WOULD BE BROUGHT INTO THE SYSTEM.

ORMSBY-GORE INDICATED THE DISARMAMENT TALKS WOULD BE DRAWN OUT. SOME DIPLOMATS PREDICTED THAT THE NEGOTIATIONS IN GENEVA'S PALACE OF NATIONS MIGHT LAST AS LONG AS TWO YEARS.

THE BRITISH MINISTER DID NOT MENTION SUCH A PERIOD. HE SAID HE EXPECTED THE NEGOTIATIONS TO RECESS DURING THE EAST-WEST SUMMIT CONFERENCE IN PARIS IN MAY. HE SAID HE DID NOT EXPECT THE DISARMAMENT DELEGATES TO PRODUCE A COMPREHENSIVE TREATY BY THEN, BUT HE SAID SOME PRELIMINARY AGREEMENTS MIGHT BE REACHED BEFORE THE SUMMIT.

EFFORTS OVER THE PAST 14 YEARS TO HALT THE ARMS RACE HAVE FAILED. ASKED WHY HE THOUGHT THE PROSPECTS BETTER THIS TIME, ORMSBY-GORE SAID:

"I THINK PEOPLE ARE BECOMING INCREASINGLY CONSCIOUS OF THE TERRIBLE BURDEN OF ARMAMENTS IN WHAT IS SUPPOSED TO BE A TIME OF PEACE. THERE IS ALSO A GROWING REALIZATION OF THE DANGER OF THE SPREAD OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS TO MORE AND MORE COUNTRIES."

THE WESTERN AND RUSSIAN PLANS PROVIDE FOR DISARMAMENT IN THREE STAGES BUT DETAILS AND PRIORITIES DIFFER.

THE SOVIET SCHEME STIPULATES FOUR YEARS AS THE PERIOD TO ACCOMPLISH TOTAL DISARMAMENT. THE WESTERN PLAN DOES NOT MENTION A TIME LIMIT.

THE WESTERN PLAN FOLLOWS THESE BROAD LINES:

IN STAGE ONE AN INTERNATIONAL DISARMAMENT ORGANIZATION WOULD BE SET UP. NATIONS WOULD DECLARE THEIR MILITARY STRENGTH AND BEGIN A REDUCTION OF FORCE LEVELS. THEY WOULD AGREE TO STUDY A NUMBER OF DIFFICULT TECHNICAL PROBLEMS, INCLUDING WAYS OF GUARDING AGAINST SURPRISE ATTACK AND OF CONTROLLING A CUT-OFF IN THE PRODUCTION OF NUCLEAR MATERIALS FOR WARTIME PURPOSES AND THE CONVERSION OF THESE STOCKS TO PEACEFUL USES.

IN STAGE TWO A START WOULD BE MADE IN CUTTING OFF NUCLEAR WEAPONS PRODUCTION AND IN ESTABLISHING PRECAUTIONS AGAINST SURPRISE ATTACKS. NATIONS WOULD BE FORBIDDEN TO SEND ALOFT SPACE SATELLITES CAPABLE OF MASS DESTRUCTION. FURTHER CUTS WOULD BE MADE IN FORCE LEVELS, WITH THE UNITED STATES AND THE SOVIET UNION SLICING THEIR TOTALS DOWN TO 2,100,000 MEN EACH.

IN STAGE THREE THE POWERS WOULD ADVANCE TO EVENTUAL ELIMINATION OF MASS DESTRUCTION WEAPONS. INTERNATIONAL CONTROL OVER MILITARY BUDGETS WOULD BE SET UP AND THE INTERNATIONAL DEFENSE ORGANIZATION WOULD BE FINALLY ESTABLISHED AS THE GUARDIAN OF WORLD LAW AND ORDER. NATIONS WOULD ONLY RETAIN ENOUGH MILITARY POWER TO GUARANTEE THEIR OWN INTERNAL SECURITY.

ULTIMATELY SUCH A PLAN WOULD INVOLVE A CONSIDERABLE SURRENDER OF NATIONAL SOVEREIGNTY. ARMS CUTBACKS WOULD BE LINKED WITH FOOLPROOF CONTROLS. THE RUSSIANS HAVE ALWAYS BEEN EXTREMELY WARY ON THE WHOLE QUESTION OF CONTROLS.

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ADVANCE FOR 630PM EST TODAY
DEMOCRATS-NUCLEAR BUDGET

BY LEWIS GULICK

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, MARCH 13 (AP)-A DEMOCRATIC SCIENCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE SAID TODAY THE UNITED STATES SHOULD SEEK A COMPLETE BAN ON NUCLEAR TESTS. IT PROPOSED A POLICING SYSTEM AGAINST VIOLATORS WHICH IT SAID WOULD INCREASE SECURITY AND HELP ENFORCE FURTHER DISARMAMENT AGREEMENTS.

THE DEMOCRATIC SCIENTISTS FIGURED THEIR CONTROL SYSTEM--A STRENGTHENED VERSION OF PROPOSALS PREVIOUSLY ADVANCED AT THE GENEVA A-TEST TALKS--WOULD ALLOW DETECTION OF ATOMIC BLASTS AS SMALL AS THREE KILOTONS OR LESS, PRACTICALLY THE SMALLEST A-WEAPON.

THEY SAID THE UNITED STATES WOULD LOSE COMPARATIVELY LITTLE MILITARY ADVANCEMENT BY GIVING UP TESTS UNDER AN ENFORCEABLE WORLDWIDE AGREEMENT, AND ALL NATIONS WOULD GAIN GREATLY IN THE LONG RUN BY THIS

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PRECEDENT-SETTING START IN CONTROLLING THE ARMS RACE.
THE 5,000-WORD PROPOSAL WAS ADVANCED BY THE DEMOCRATIC ADVISORY COMMITTEE'S 17-MAN COMMITTEE ON SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY HEADED BY DR. ERNEST C. POLLARD, CHAIRMAN OF YALE UNIVERSITY'S BIOPHYSICAL DEPARTMENT.

OTHER MEMBERS INCLUDE TREVOR GARDNER, A FORMER ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF DEFENSE IN THE EISENHOWER ADMINISTRATION, AND DR. HAROLD C. UREY, A NOBEL PRIZE WINNING ATOMIC SCIENTIST.

INCONCLUSIVE TALKS ABOUT A TREATY TO LIMIT NUCLEAR TESTS HAVE BEEN UNDER WAY AT GENEVA FOR 16 MONTHS AMONG THE THREE ATOMIC POWERS--THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN, AND RUSSIA.

THE UNITED STATES FIRST PRESSED FOR A BAN AGAINST ALL TESTS. NOW IT IS PROPOSING, AS A FIRST STEP ALTERNATIVE, TO OUTLAW ALL NUCLEAR SHOTS EXCEPT UNDERGROUND EXPLOSIONS SMALLER THAN 20 KILOTONS.

A KILOTON IS THE EXPLOSIVE EQUIVALENT OF 1,000 TONS OF TNT. THE ORIGINAL WORLD WAR II HIROSHIMA BOMB WAS ABOUT 20 KILOTONS. SOME U. S. SCIENTISTS SAY DETECTION TECHNIQUES ARE NOT YET ADVANCED ENOUGH TO GUARANTEE DISCOVERY OF SNEAK UNDERGROUND BLASTS OF LESS THAN 20 KILOTONS.

THE SOVIETS HAVE STOOD BY THEIR DEMAND FOR A COMPLETE BAN. BUT THEY HAVE REJECTED WHAT THE WEST SAYS IS THE CONTROL SYSTEM NEEDED TO ENFORCE IT. THE REDS CONTEND THAT THE WEST IS SEEKING TO SET UP A SPY NETWORK UNDER THE GUISE OF CONTROLS.

THE DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE SAID THE PRESENT U. S. PROPOSAL FOR A PARTIAL BAN IS FAULTY BECAUSE IT WOULD NOT STOP THE SPREAD OF TESTING TO OTHER POWERS AND BECAUSE THE RUSSIANS PROBABLY WOULD NOT ACCEPT IT. IT SAID THE U. S. PLAN COULD ACTUALLY ALLOW BLASTS UP TO 100 KILOTONS, IF MUFFLED UNDERGROUND.

THE DEMOCRATIC SCIENTISTS FIGURED THE UNITED STATES COULD PUSH FORWARD IN MOST OF ITS WEAPONS DEVELOPMENT WITHOUT ACTUALLY EXPLODING ATOMIC WARHEADS. THEY SAID THE GREATEST U. S. A-TEST NEED IS IN DEVELOPING THE MINUTE MAN SOLID FUEL INTERCONTINENTAL MISSILE. THEY SAID THE GREATEST RUSSIAN NEED IS IN ANTI-AIRCRAFT AND ANTIMISSILE WARHEADS AND IN SUBMARINE LAUNCHED MISSILES.

BUT "REAL SECURITY REQUIRES CONTROL OF ARMAMENTS" RATHER THAN A FREE-FOR-ALL ARMS RACE WITH NUCLEAR HOLOCAUST THE LIKELY RESULT, THE SCIENTISTS SAID.

UNDER THE DEMOCRATS' PLAN THE SPACE BETWEEN INSPECTION STATIONS POLICING AN A-TEST BAN WOULD BE REDUCED FROM THE 625 MILES PROPOSED AT GENEVA TO 250 MILES. A SUSPICIOUS EXPLOSION COULD BE SPOTTED WITHIN THREE SQUARE MILES.

THE NUMBER OF STATIONS IN RUSSIA WOULD BE INCREASED FROM 24 TO ABOUT 100, WITH PERHAPS 75 OF THEM UNMANNED POST STATIONS. THERE WOULD BE MORE AERIAL INSPECTIONS, IMPROVED DETECTION DEVICES AND PERHAPS 30 TRIPS A YEAR BY INSPECTORS TO THE SITES OF SUSPECTED EXPLOSIONS.

IN PAST DISCUSSIONS AT GENEVA, THE SOVIETS HAVE FOUGHT ANY INCREASE IN THE NUMBER OF PROPOSED CONTROL POSTS AND HAVE SHOWN NO INTEREST IN UNMANNED STATIONS.

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TOKYO, MARCH 13-(AP)--COMMUNIST CHINA SAID TODAY IT REDUCED ITS ARMED FORCES BY 2,700,000 MEN BETWEEN 1951 AND 1958. THE ANNOUNCEMENT WAS BROADCAST BY RADIO PEIPING IN A JAPANESE LANGUAGE BROADCAST.

THE BROADCAST DID NOT GIVE THE STRENGTH OF RED CHINA'S PRESENT ARMED FORCES. IT ONLY REPEATED AN EARLIER ANNOUNCEMENT MADE LAST MONTH THAT ITS PRESENT ARMED FORCES ARE LESS THAN HALF THEIR ORIGINAL SIZE.

MUNEMORI AKAGI, DIRECTOR-GENERAL OF JAPAN'S DEFENSE AGENCY, LAST MONDAY SAID COMMUNIST CHINA HAS 160 ARMY DIVISIONS TALLING 2,500,000 MEN, NAVAL UNITS AGGREGATING 150,000 TONS. INCLUDING 20

SUBMARINES, AND AN AIR FORCE WITH 3,000 PLANES.

THE JAPANESE DEFENSE CHIEF GAVE THE FIGURES BEFORE THE UPPER HOUSE BUDGET COMMITTEE OF THE JAPANESE PARLIAMENT. HE DID NOT DISCLOSE ANY SOURCE OF HIS INFORMATION.

THE BROADCAST ALSO SAID CHINA HAS CUT DOWN ITS SPENDING ON MILITARY EXPENSES DURING THE PAST FIVE YEARS.

IT SAID THE PERCENTAGE OF MILITARY APPROPRIATION IN THE TOTAL BUDGET WAS REDUCED FROM 22.1 PER CENT OF 1955 TO 15.1 PER CENT IN 1958 AND FURTHER DOWN TO 11.2 PER CENT IN 1959. THE BROADCAST GAVE NO MORE PRECISE FIGURES.

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FIRST LEAD ADENAUER (200)

NEW YORK, MARCH 13 (AP)--WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER SAID TODAY THAT AMERICA COULD BE "CONFIDENT THAT GERMANY TODAY IS A DEMOCRATIC GERMANY."

HE SAID THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY IS "FAR FROM ANTI-SEMITIC OR NATIONAL SOCIALIST."

ADENAUER BLAMED RECENT ANTI-SEMITIC INCIDENTS ON "A MINUTE MINORITY." HE ACCUSED RUSSIA OF EXAGGERATING THE MATTER.

"THE OBJECT OF THE SOVIET UNION IS TO DRIVE A WEDGE BETWEEN GERMANY AND UNITED STATES PEOPLE," HE TOLD A LUNCHEON SPONSORED BY THE AMERICAN COUNCIL ON GERMANY.

THE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT, HE ADDED, HOPED THE SO-CALLED WEDGE WOULD MAKE THINGS "SHIFT IN FAVOR OF THE SOVIET UNION."

LATER, SOURCES CLOSE TO THE CHANCELLOR SAID HE BLAMES A LUNATIC FRINGE IN GERMANY FOR THE ANTI-SEMITIC OUTBREAKS BUT, UNLIKE THE WEST GERMAN INTERIOR MINISTRY, HE ALSO BELIEVES THERE WAS CENTRAL DIRECTION BEHIND THE INCIDENTS.

ADENAUER CONCEDED THESE WERE "DARK TIMES" IN THE HISTORY OF HIS NATION. BUT HE SAID HE LOOKED WITH OPTIMISM ON THE FUTURE, IF "VERY IMPORTANT ORGANIZATIONS LIKE THIS COUNCIL SPREAD THE KNOWLEDGE OF UNDERSTANDING AND PROMOTION OF PEACE."

SPEAKING THROUGH AN INTERPRETER, THE 84-YEAR-OLD CHANCELLOR THANKED THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT AND ITS PEOPLE AS INDIVIDUALS FOR "THE GENEROUS WAY THE VICTOR HAS HELPED THE VANQUISHED."

HE PROMISED THE ASSISTANCE OF THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE WOULD NEVER BE FORGOTTEN AND THAT ALL AMERICANS WOULD ALWAYS HAVE WEST GERMANY'S DEEP GRATITUDE.

HE CALLED FOR A CONCERTED EFFORT BY ALL ALLIED NATIONS TO "BRING ABOUT PEACE--BRING ABOUT LIBERTY FOR ALL."

EARLIER, THE CHANCELLOR ATTENDED MASS OFFERED BY FRANCIS CARDINAL SPELLMAN AT HIS RESIDENCE AND THEY BREAKFASTED TOGETHER.

CARDINAL SPELLMAN GREETED ADENAUER WARMLY AND DESCRIBED HIM AS A MAN FOR WHOM HE HAD THE GREATEST ADMIRATION AND ESTEEM.

"MAY THE LORD PRESERVE THIS GREAT LEADER FOR HIS PEOPLE," THE CARDINAL SAID IN WELCOMING ADENAUER.

ADENAUER, WHO ARRIVED HERE FROM BONN LAST NIGHT, WILL FLY TO WASHINGTON TUESDAY FOR TALKS WITH PRESIDENT EISENHOWER ON THE FORTHCOMING EAST-WEST SUMMIT CONFERENCE.

AT THE CARDINAL'S LEXINGTON AVENUE RESIDENCE A DOZEN CAMERAMEN FROM NEWSPAPERS AND TELEVISION TOOK PICTURES AS ADENAUER AND THE CARDINAL SHOOK HANDS. REPORTERS EDGED UP TO THE INTERPRETER TO HEAR THE CONVERSATION BETWEEN THE TWO.

ADENAUER THANKED THE CARDINAL AND CHURCH LEADERS IN AMERICA FOR ARRANGING FOR CONFESSIONS TO BE HEARD IN GERMAN AND FOR CONDUCTING SOME CHURCH SERVICES IN THE LANGUAGE TO ACCOMMODATE GERMAN PEOPLE HERE.

CARDINAL SPELLMAN AND HIS 15 GUESTS HAD A BREAKFAST OF GRAPEFRUIT AND BACON AND EGGS IN THE MAIN DINING ROOM. PALE PINK CARNATIONS AND CLUSTERS OF AMERICAN, WEST GERMAN REPUBLIC AND PAPAL FLAGS DECORATED THE TABLE.

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AMMAN, JORDAN, MARCH 13-(AP)-JORDAN IS READY TO RALLY TO THE SIDE OF THE UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC IF THE U.A.R. "IS PREPARED TO OPEN A FINAL BATTLE AGAINST THE COMMON ENEMY, ISRAEL," KING HUSSEIN DECLARED IN A SPEECH RELEASED TODAY.

JORDAN'S RULER SPOKE YESTERDAY TO A GROUP OF ARMY MEN STATIONED WEST OF THE JORDAN RIVER IN PALESTINE. HE EXPRESSED BELIEF "THE FINAL BATTLE AGAINST THE COMMON ENEMY IS APPROACHING," AND ADDED: "WE HEAR THAT THE U.A.R. IS HEAVILY PREPARING FOR A MILITARY ACTION, AND WE HOPE THAT THAT DAY WOULD BE NEAR, BUT WE ARE KEPT IN DARKNESS AND NO INFORMATION WAS PASSED TO US WHEN A JOINT, WELL-STUDIED PLAN IS MUCH NEEDED."

ALTHOUGH HUSSEIN DECLARED JORDAN WOULD "CARRY OUT HER DUTIES AND UPHOLD HER COMMITMENTS TO THE BEST OF HER ABILITY" IN EVENT OF AN ATTACK ON ANY PART OF THE ARAB WORLD, HE ACCUSED RESPONSIBLE QUARTERS IN THE U.A.R. OF HEAPING "UNJUSTIFIABLE ABUSES AND SLANDERS" UPON HIS KINGDOM.

"WE GET FROM THE NOTHING BUT PLOTS AND INCITEMENTS INTENDED TO CREATE CHAOS AND CONFUSION IN THIS COUNTRY," HE DECLARED.

HUSSEIN SAID U.A.R. MIG FIGHTERS ATTACKED JORDANIAN PLANES OVER THE ZERKA AREA NORTH OF AMMAN SOME MONTHS AGO. THE INCIDENT WAS HUSHED UP AT THE TIME, HE ADDED, IN ORDER NOT TO CREATE DISUNITY IN ARAB RANKS.

JORDAN'S ARMY, HE CLAIMED, IS A "UNITED, WELL-TRAINED FIGHTING UNIT" AND THE "ONLY ARAB ARMY THAT CAN SO BE NAMED." IT IS NOT "A COLLECTION OF SEPARATED GROUPS SOILED BY PARTY POLITICS," HE SAID.

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BY ANTHONY WHITE

LONDON, MARCH 13 (AP)-PRIME MINISTER HAROLD MACMILLAN TODAY WAS ASKED FOR A CATEGORICAL ANSWER TO A QUESTION STIRRING THE NATION--HAS BRITAIN EVER INDULGED IN BRAINWASHING?

THE QUESTION WAS FORMALLY TABLED IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS BY LABORITE JOHN CRONIN. MACMILLAN IS EXPECTED TO GIVE HIS ANSWER THURSDAY.

CRONIN WANTS MACMILLAN TO SAY OUTRIGHT WHETHER ANY BRITISH GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT, INCLUDING THE SECRET SERVICE, HAS BRAINWASHED ANYBODY IN THE PAST 20 YEARS.

TWO WEEKS AGO THE SUNDAY OBSERVER SAID A FORMER BRITISH INTELLIGENCE CHIEF HAD DISCLOSED IN A LECTURE THAT BRITAIN DEVELOPED AND USED BRAINWASH TECHNIQUES TO EXTRACT SECRETS FROM CAPTURED SPIES IN WORLD WAR II.

THE STATEMENT, ATTRIBUTED TO DR. ALEXANDER KENNEDY, NOW PROFESSOR OF PSYCHOLOGICAL MEDICINE AT EDINBURGH UNIVERSITY AND A WARTIME GENERAL STAFF OFFICER OF INTELLIGENCE, SHOCKED THE HOUSE OF COMMONS.

WAR MINISTER CHRISTOPHER SOAMES ISSUED A QUICK DENIAL THAT BRAINWASHING HAD EVER BEEN PRACTICED IN BRITAIN. BUT THE QUESTION, COMING OUT OF THE BLUE 15 YEARS AFTER THE WAR'S END, STILL SEEMED TO AWAIT A FIRM ANSWER.

THE OBSERVER RETURNED TO THE THEME TODAY BY POINTING OUT THAT SOAMES ONLY SAID BRAINWASHING HAD NOT BEEN PRACTICED "IN THIS COUNTRY." HE HAD NOT DENIED THAT THE TECHNIQUE WAS DEVELOPED HERE AND USED TO UNEARTH SPIES' SECRETS, THE OBSERVER SAID.

SOAMES ALSO TOLD LEGISLATORS HE HAD RECEIVED A LETTER FROM KENNEDY DENYING HE HAD EVER SPOKEN ABOUT BRAINWASHING BEING PRACTICED "IN BRITAIN."

BUT THE OBSERVER TODAY PUBLISHED A LETTER FROM KENNEDY'S LAWYERS SAYING HE HAD NO COMPLAINT ABOUT THE NEWSPAPER'S STORY. THE ONLY THING THAT WAS WRONG, THE LETTER SAID, WAS THE HEADLINE: "SPIES BRAINWASHED IN BRITAIN."

THE OBSERVER CONFESSED THIS WAS A MISTAKE--THAT IT SHOULD HAVE USED THE WORDS "BY BRITAIN" INSTEAD OF "IN BRITAIN."

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WASHINGTON, MARCH 13 (AP)-THE SENATE INTERNAL SECURITY SUBCOMMITTEE TODAY PUBLISHED A NEWSMAN'S CONTENTION THAT MOSCOW IS USING MANY AMERICAN TOURISTS AS "INNOCENT TRANSMISSION BELTS" FOR PROPAGANDA.

THIS SUGGESTION IS IN A PAMPHLET WRITTEN FOR THE SUBCOMMITTEE BY EUGENE LYONS, ONE OF THE EDITORS OF READER'S DIGEST. LYONS WAS A UNITED PRESS CORRESPONDENT IN RUSSIA FROM 1928 TO 1934.

LYONS SAID MOST TOURISTS SEE ONLY WHAT THE RUSSIANS WANT THEM TO SEE, AND THUS COME BACK WITH DISTORTED PICTURES OF LIFE IN THE SOVIET UNION. HE SAID THESE LIMITED VIEWS ARE GIVEN WIDE CIRCULATION IN THIS COUNTRY.

LYONS CONTENDED IT IS A DELUSION TO BELIEVE THE CURRENT CULTURAL EXCHANGE OF PERSONS WITH RUSSIA WILL RELAX COLD WAR TENSIONS BY BUILDING UNDERSTANDING.

HE SAID EACH VISITING GROUP OF RUSSIANS IS SHEPHERDED BY A SECRET POLICE AGENT, AND THAT MOSCOW WOULD NOT LET THEM COME HERE "IF THERE WERE ANY REAL DANGER OF SOVIET PUBLIC OPINION BEING CONTAMINATED WITH AMERICAN IDEAS AND WAYS THROUGH RETURNING DELEGATIONS."

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LONDON, MARCH 13 (AP)-MOSCOW RADIO ASSAILED THE VOICE OF AMERICA TODAY AND WHAT IT CALLED THE DIXIECRAT CONCEPT OF DEMOCRACY.

"WHILE THE DIXIECRATS IN THE SENATE KILL A BILL ON CIVIL RIGHTS FOR THE NEGROES, AND THEIR SUPPORTERS IN THE KU KLUX KLAN BREAK THE BONES OF NEGROES IN THE SOUTHERN STATES, THE STATE DEPARTMENT VOICE OF AMERICA TALKS FREEDOM AND DEMOCRACY IN ALL LANGUAGES," SAID THE BROADCAST.

IT SAID THESE TWO WORDS, DEMOCRACY AND FREEDOM, ARE CONSTANTLY USED IN THE VOICE OF AMERICA BROADCASTS. BUT, IT ADDED, IT SEEMED THEY COULD BE INTERPRETED IN MANY WAYS.

"FREEDOM, IT APPEARS, CAN ALSO BE UNDERSTOOD AS FREEDOM FOR WHITE SUPREMECY ELEMENTS TO VICTIMIZE NEGROES AND DEPRIVE THEM OF THE BASIC HUMAN RIGHTS. AS FOR DEMOCRACY, FILIBUSTERING IN CONGRESS IS OBVIOUSLY A BRILLIANT EXAMPLE.

"IF A MEMBER OF THE COUNTRY'S HIGHEST LEGISLATIVE BODY CAN WASTE HOURS READING A TELEPHONE BOOK FROM THE PLATFORM, THAT IS SURELY THE FULLEST EXPRESSION OF DEMOCRACY.

"HOWEVER, THE VOICE OF AMERICA IS CAREFUL NOT TO MENTION THESE EXAMPLES. IT WOULD RATHER PLAY ON WHAT IT CONSIDERS THE SHORTCOMINGS OF OTHER COUNTRIES," THE BROADCAST SAID.

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LONDON, MARCH 13 (AP)-A CONFIDENTIAL ADVISER TO THE EXILED TIBETAN, DALAI LAMA SAID TONIGHT CHINESE COMMUNIST INVADERS SEIZED

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MOST OF THE GOD-KING'S TREASURES WHEN THEY FORCED HIM TO FLEE FROM TIBET NEARLY A YEAR AGO.

THE DALAI LAMA WAS LEFT WITH GOLD BULLION WORTH \$1,500,000 OUT OF HIS ENORMOUS HEREDITARY WEALTH, SAID D. K. SEN, ADVISER TO THE YOUNG BUDDHIST LEADER.

THE BULLION WAS SENT OUT OF THE REMOTE MOUNTAIN KINGDOM IN 1950 WHEN THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS FIRST MARCHED INTO TIBET, SEN SAID.

REPORTS THAT THE DALAI LAMA, NOW IN EXILE IN INDIA, HAD MANAGED TO SEND OUT MANY MILLION DOLLARS WORTH OF GOLD IN 1950 WERE DENIED BY SEN. HE SAID THE VALUE HAD BEEN EXAGGERATED.

THERE ALSO HAVE BEEN REPORTS SOME TREASURES WERE GOT OUT WHEN THE DALAI LAMA FLED.

THE ANCIENT TREASURE LEFT TO THE CHINESE WAS COMPARED BY SEN TO BRITAIN'S PRICELESS CROWN JEWELS.

HE SAID THE DALAI LAMA HAD BEEN UNABLE TO TAKE ANY OF HIS REMAINING WEALTH, INCLUDING GOLD IMAGES AND PAINTINGS, WHEN HE FLED.

"ABOUT 37,500 POUNDS (\$105,000) WORTH OF GOLD HAS ALREADY BEEN SOLD TO PAY THE EXPENSES OF OUR THREE-MAN DELEGATION TO THE UNITED NATIONS," SEN TOLD NEWSMEN. "THE MOST EXPENSIVE PART WAS AMERICAN LAWYERS' FEES."

"THE REST WILL BE SOLD BIT BY BIT TO PAY THE EXPENSES OF THE DALAI LAMA'S GOVERNMENT IN EXILE."

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LONDON, MARCH 13-(AP)-A BRITISH NOBLEMAN, A POLISH GENERAL AND A HUNGARIAN FREEDOM FIGHTER UNVEILED A PLAQUE TODAY IN MEMORY OF VICTIMS OF THE ABORTIVE 1956 HUNGARIAN UPRISING.

THE BRONZE TABLET IS ON THE OUTSIDE WALL OF A HOUSE USED AS A POLISH CLUB IN LONDON. DESIGNED BY SCULPTOR FRANK KOVACS, IT DEPICTS A REALISTIC SCENE OF FIGHTING DURING THE UPRISING IN BUDAPEST.

"THIS MEMORIAL SEEKS BUT TO TELL THE HARSH TRUTH," SAID LORD BIRDWOOD. "IT IS NO VAGUE SYMBOL. THERE IT IS, JUST AS IT HAPPENED."

GEN. WLADYSLAW ANDERS, FORMER POLISH LEADER NOW LIVING IN LONDON, TOLD THOSE AT THE UNVEILING: "IT IS IMPOSSIBLE FOR ME TO FIND WORDS TO DESCRIBE WHAT EVERY POLISH HEART FELT DURING THE TRAGIC DAYS OF THE HUNGARIAN UPRISING. ALL THROUGH THEIR HISTORY THE POLISH AND HUNGARIAN PEOPLE HAVE BEEN LINKED IN A FRIENDSHIP WHICH HAS GROWN AND PROVED ITS STRENGTH THROUGH THE AGES."

AT THE END, J. SZARVAS, A YOUNG FREEDOM FIGHTER, SPOKE OF "THE EVERLASTING MEMORY AND GLORY OF THOSE HEROES WHO SACRIFICED THEIR LIVES FOR THE IDEA OF FREEDOM, WHO HAVE BEEN EXECUTED BY THE BRUTAL ENEMIES OF OUR COUNTRY."

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TAIPEI, FORMOSA, MONDAY, MARCH 14 (AP)-THREE RED CHINESE GUNBOATS INTERCEPTED AND DETAINED A BRITISH MERCHANT SHIP IN THE FORMOSA STRAIT, THE CHINESE NATIONALIST DEFENSE MINISTRY REPORTED TODAY.

THE MINISTRY SAID THE INCIDENT OCCURRED YESTERDAY AND THE UNIDENTIFIED MERCHANTMAN WAS ESCORTED TO PINGTAN ISLAND, 40 MILES SOUTH OF THE NATIONALIST HELD MATSU ISLANDS. THE SHIP WAS RELEASED A SHORT TIME LATER, IT ADDED.

NATIONALIST OFFICIALS SAID THREE COMMUNIST GUNBOATS EARLIER CAPTURED AN UNARMED NATIONALIST FISHING BOAT AND TOWED IT TO PINGTAN ISLAND. NO MENTION WAS MADE OF THE SIZE OF THE FISHING BOAT OR ITS CREW.

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